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- The Chinese Communist 769 Division of the 3 Field Army is 2 miles southwest of Tanch on (128-54, 40-27) (DV 9277). This unit has 120 trucks making shuttle runs at night from Songjin to Tanch'on.
- 2. Heavy night traffic has been reported on the roads between Songjin, Hamhung; Hamhung, Wonsan; Wonsan, Anbyon; Kowon, Yangdok.
- On 5 August the 58 Division of the Chinese Communist 4 Field Army moved north of Changjin Reservoir, from the eastern front. 2
- Four Chinese Communist divisions and the North Korean VI and IX Corps are effecting a build-up in the Hoeyang area.
- 5. North Korean Navy headquarters is in Songjin (129-12, 40-40) on the east slope of Sudo-san. It consists of six underground rooms equipped with electric lights. The staff of this headquarters comprises two admirals and 60 officers. The headquarters is called the 502 unit.
- At the Songhung Hot Springs area, on the outskirts of Songjin, seven antiaircraft guns are concealed under large willow trees.
- 7. A government-controlled farm in Oro-ri, on the outskirts of Hamhung, is being used as a billet for a North Korean division which arrived from Hyesanjin on 7 August.
- 8. The North Korean 23 and 26 Divisions completed training in Yenchi, Manchuria and returned to Kowon (127-15, 39-26) (CV 4966) on 3 August.
- The Sonjin (3Songjin) County office building houses one battalion of the North Korean 815 Unit.

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Comment. This is possibly the code name for a division in the 3 Field Army.

Comment. A North Korean colonel stated that 270 men have defeated from this unit.

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as of 6 June the 58 Division was subordinate to the 20 Army, 9 Army Group, 3 Field Army.

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